

PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, federal law requires state legislatures to redraw congressional district lines after each decennial census; and

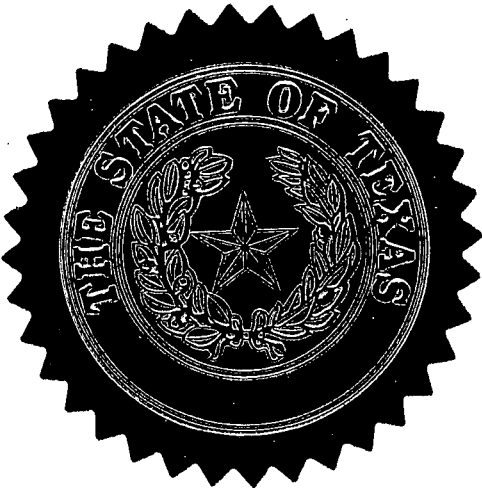
WHEREAS, the Texas legislature has not drawn new district lines to reflect the changes in Texas population since the results of the last census were released; and

WHEREAS, the people have placed the power to call and convene the legislature into special session in the hands of the Chief Executive Office of the State;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK PERRY, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, by the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section 8, of the Texas Constitution, do hereby call a special session of the 78th Legislature, to be convened in the city of Austin, commencing at **3:15** p.m., Monday, the 28th day of July, 2003, for the following purpose:

To consider legislation relating to congressional redistricting.

The Secretary of State will take notice of this action and will notify the members of the Legislature.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed at my Office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 28th day of July, 2003.

Rick Perry

RICK PERRY
Governor of Texas

ATTEST:

Gwyn Shea
GWYN SHEA
Secretary of State

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3:10 p.m. O'CLOCK

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OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM
STATE OF TEXAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

MESSAGE

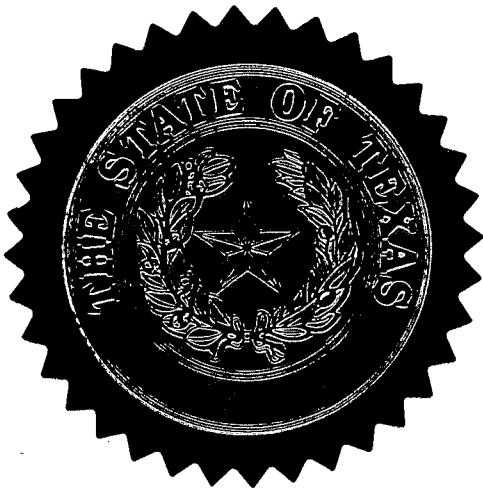
TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-EIGHTH TEXAS LEGISLATURE, SECOND CALLED SESSION:

WHEREAS, the people of Texas through their state Constitution have placed the power to call the legislature into special session in the hands of the Chief Executive Officer of the State; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Seventy-Eighth Texas Legislature, Second Called Session, have now convened to consider items presented to them by the Governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK PERRY, Governor of the State of Texas, by the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section 8 and Article III, Section 40 of the Texas Constitution, do hereby present the following matter to the Seventy-Eighth Texas Legislature, Second Called Session for consideration:

Legislation relating to state fiscal management, including adjustments to certain school district fiscal matters made necessary by recent changes in state fiscal management; making related appropriations.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 28th day of July, 2003.

Rick Perry

RICK PERRY
Governor of Texas

ATTESTED BY:

Gwynn Shea
GWYN SHEA
Secretary of State

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**OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM
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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

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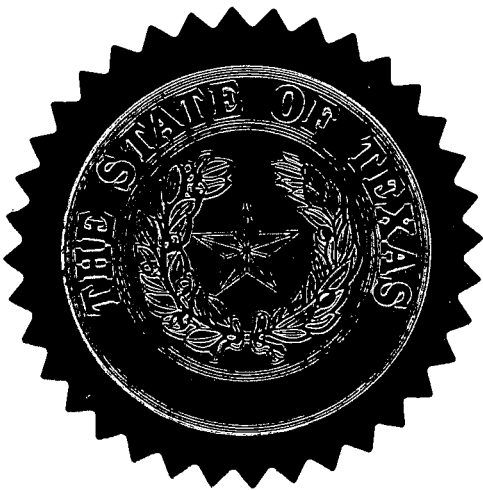
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Legislation relating to the financing, construction, improvement, maintenance, and operation of toll facilities by the Texas Department of Transportation and the disposition of money generated by the driver responsibility program, fines imposed for certain traffic offenses, and certain fees collected by the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas; making an appropriation.



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Rick Perry

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Governor of Texas

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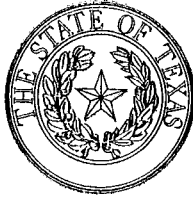
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GYWN SHEA
Secretary of State

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STATE OF TEXAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

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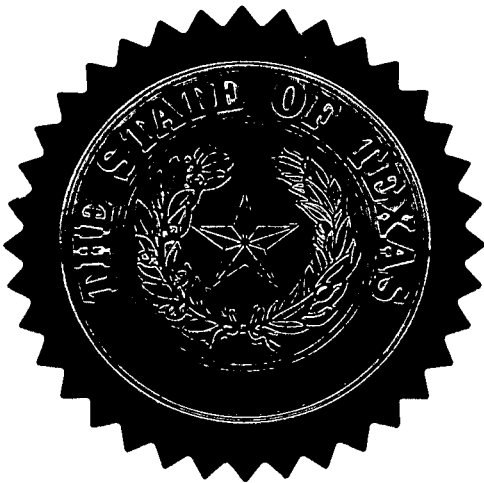
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NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICK PERRY, Governor of the State of Texas, by the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section 8 and Article III, Section 40 of the Texas Constitution, do hereby present the following matter to the Seventy-Eighth Texas Legislature, Second Called Session for consideration:

To consider legislation relating to the reorganization of, efficiency in, and other reform measures applying to state government.



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day of July, 2003.

Rick Perry

RICK PERRY
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Secretary of State



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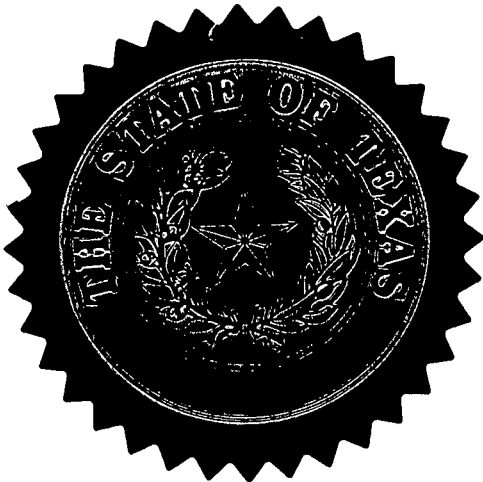
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Legislation relating to the dates of certain elections, the procedures for canvassing the ballots for an election, and the counting of certain ballots voted by mail.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I
have signed my name officially and
caused the Seal of the State to be
affixed hereto at Austin, this 29th
day of July, 2003.

Rick Perry

RICK PERRY
Governor of Texas

ATTESTED BY:

Gwyn Shea

GYWN SHEA
Secretary of State